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IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Yong Cheol PARK Conf.: 3918  
Appl. No.: 09/480,107 Group: 2653  
Filed: January 10, 2000 Examiner: G. PATEL  
For: OPTICAL RECORDING MEDIUM AND MEDIUM FOR  
FORMATTING THE SAME WITH IMPROVED COMPATABILITY  
AND CONSISTENCY (as amended)

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

March 3, 2003

Sir:

In reply to the Office Action dated September 3, 2002, with a three-month extension of time being petitioned to March 3, 2003, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

The paragraph beginning on page 12, line 8 has been amended as follows:

--Referring to Fig. 6, upon receiving a formatting command (step 601), a judgement is made if a supplementary spare area has been assigned (step 602). If

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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INDEPENDENT	2	-	3	=	0	\$84	\$0.00
<input type="checkbox"/> FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM						\$280	\$0.00
						TOTAL	\$108.00

Appl. No. 09/480,107

- Petition for three (3) month(s) extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.17 and 1.136(a). \$930.00 for the extension of time.
- No fee is required.
- Check(s) in the amount of \$1,038.00 is(are) enclosed.
- Please charge Deposit Account No. 02-2448 in the amount of \$0.00. This form is submitted in triplicate.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

Respectfully submitted,

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